

**Table I.B.4(2008) Number of part-time private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2008**

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	23,345,741	3,706,407	2,541,104	3,549,927	3,984,451	9,563,851	8,146,582	15,199,159
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	368,111	122,618	49,105 *	24,533 *	127,662 *	44,194 *	188,546	179,565 *
Mining and manufacturing	398,566	105,715	66,352	96,578	66,291	63,630	219,621	178,945
Construction	493,789	242,363	110,556	78,220	52,374 *	10,276 *	392,493	101,296 *
Utilities and transp.	652,243	92,819	44,465	102,102	48,254	364,604	194,632	457,611
Wholesale trade	345,238	95,944	53,564	55,853	53,049	86,828 *	187,876	157,361
Fin. svcs. and real estate	1,091,515	238,161	77,391	87,948	143,746	544,268	353,507	738,008
Retail trade	5,069,905	542,462	295,615	314,765	315,691	3,601,372	1,036,427	4,033,478
Professional services	5,459,057	887,341	511,080	727,546	1,296,803	2,036,287	1,726,976	3,732,082
Other services	9,467,318	1,378,983	1,332,978	2,062,382	1,880,582	2,812,392	3,846,504	5,620,813
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	15,139,515	1,986,599	1,685,713	2,270,009	2,217,665	6,979,530	4,977,830	10,161,685
For profit, unincorporated	4,319,655	1,233,793	528,059	720,568	580,884	1,256,351	2,144,610	2,175,046
Nonprofit	3,886,570	486,015	327,332	559,350	1,185,903	1,327,970	1,024,142	2,862,429
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	2,004,119	728,963	460,001	549,527	178,851	86,778 *	1,526,570	477,549
5-9 years	2,400,544	693,653	428,990	558,383	315,046	404,471 *	1,480,313	920,230
10-19 years	3,512,238	820,552	638,794	813,083	719,132	520,677	1,892,341	1,619,897
20 or more years	12,185,233	1,445,642	1,004,198	1,617,250	2,640,803	5,477,340	3,214,532	8,970,701
Unknown	3,243,608	17,597	9,122 *	11,685 *	130,619	3,074,586	32,826	3,210,782
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	11,614,317	23,880	110,265	519,478	2,059,911	8,900,783	326,472	11,287,846
1 location only	11,731,424	3,682,527	2,430,839	3,030,449	1,924,540	663,068 *	7,820,110	3,911,313
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	7,504,537	1,655,292	1,070,162	1,236,312	1,155,984	2,386,788	3,456,238	4,048,299
25-49 %	5,877,598	740,529	539,470	957,437	1,130,667	2,509,494	1,803,845	4,073,753
50-74 %	6,443,586	983,309	567,363	790,188	1,022,092	3,080,634	1,933,426	4,510,160
75% or more	3,520,020	327,277	364,109	565,990	675,708	1,586,935	953,073	2,566,947
Union presence								
No union employees	18,943,970	3,557,746	2,426,463	3,357,765	3,478,340	6,123,656	7,790,235	11,153,735
Has union employees	2,610,624	95,807	72,352	130,465	339,628	1,972,372	218,125	2,392,499
Unknown	1,791,146	52,854	42,289	61,697 *	166,483 *	1,467,823	138,221	1,652,926
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low wage	12,777,045	1,943,054	1,543,249	2,136,817	2,334,892	4,819,033	4,706,901	8,070,143
Less than 50% low wage	10,568,696	1,763,353	997,856	1,413,110	1,649,559	4,744,818	3,439,680	7,129,016

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2008 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the Technical Appendix.

\* Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.

\*\* Definitions of industry groups and low-wage employees changed in 2000. These data are not comparable to IC data prior to 2000. See Technical Appendix.

Totals may not sum exactly because of rounding.

**Table I.B.4(2008) Standard error for number of part-time private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2008**

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	270,670	68,894	67,984	134,954	194,444	395,196	79,142	276,060
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	88,054	15,347	20,284 *	12,050 *	82,212 *	34,461 *	28,741	82,573 *
Mining and manufacturing	23,348	14,044	9,783	14,041	14,050	5,805	20,840	17,047
Construction	40,820	11,494	23,007	14,506	22,829 *	4,595 *	23,215	32,551 *
Utilities and transp.	77,360	9,126	9,590	27,161	12,714	64,464	22,185	75,573
Wholesale trade	41,809	10,382	6,373	7,216	9,327	31,479 *	18,824	35,017
Fin. svcs. and real estate	43,644	12,369	12,861	10,054	18,139	43,271	18,289	37,132
Retail trade	147,474	37,989	22,868	30,577	22,567	153,867	53,992	160,118
Professional services	114,919	32,519	35,131	34,349	60,666	76,916	57,552	86,095
Other services	355,449	48,389	61,970	100,232	121,600	314,813	91,674	306,851
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	391,790	50,839	60,524	106,047	169,177	380,691	77,840	366,017
For profit, unincorporated	238,865	54,047	63,095	58,428	73,739	247,608	75,254	262,744
Nonprofit	121,334	30,667	26,106	52,724	89,987	82,216	48,995	106,621
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	69,638	25,538	27,102	65,879	33,986	38,525 *	28,240	47,435
5-9 years	231,916	24,501	51,554	60,405	61,610	197,873 *	71,195	202,031
10-19 years	119,791	26,152	40,108	62,464	64,297	59,947	48,654	80,414
20 or more years	129,072	32,311	57,016	63,706	119,206	212,831	76,651	125,671
Unknown	124,602	4,577	7,270 *	4,238 *	20,769	125,952	8,368	128,555
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	284,565	6,111	14,646	34,733	93,128	286,091	26,339	269,457
1 location only	268,630	66,273	64,582	116,933	149,045	205,028 *	81,795	242,218
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	233,645	61,249	62,058	106,591	117,274	306,124	86,161	256,507
25-49 %	187,524	19,128	20,870	65,982	106,798	146,465	48,303	187,770
50-74 %	135,402	24,338	31,573	47,459	69,939	134,891	43,624	119,912
75% or more	64,791	12,185	14,473	35,495	33,266	44,976	22,000	60,318
Union presence								
No union employees	255,894	62,400	64,890	105,550	147,818	328,853	66,833	278,952
Has union employees	242,636	16,210	21,302	38,163	64,669	230,648	26,624	248,725
Unknown	96,236	8,312	11,579	24,199 *	68,682 *	73,827	21,439	92,393
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low wage	236,938	54,985	70,948	91,445	148,962	226,662	91,626	208,347
Less than 50% low wage	246,370	32,918	66,898	79,748	105,461	342,283	93,745	286,428

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